## UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

CERTAIN RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES AND COMPONENTS THEREOF

Inv. No. 337-TA-1421

#### NOTICE OF INSTITUTION OF INVESTIGATION

Institution of investigation pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 1337

AGENCY: U.S. International Trade Commission

**ACTION: Notice** 

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that a complaint was filed with the U.S. International Trade Commission on September 12, 2024, under section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, on behalf of LithiumHub, LLC of Norris, South Carolina; Lithiumhub Technologies, LLC of Marshall, Texas; and Mr. Martin Koebler of Norris, South Carolina. Supplements to the complaint were filed on September 30, October 2, and October 7, 2024. The complaint alleges violations of section 337 based upon the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, and the sale within the United States after importation of certain rechargeable batteries and components thereof by reason of the infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 9,412,994 ("the '994 patent") and U.S. Patent No. 9,954,207 ("the '207 patent"). The complaint further alleges that an industry in the United States exists or is in the process of being established as required by the applicable Federal Statute.

The complainant requests that the Commission institute an investigation and, after the investigation, issue a limited exclusion order and cease and desist orders.

ADDRESSES: The complaint, except for any confidential information contained therein, may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket (EDIS) at <a href="https://edis.usitc.gov">https://edis.usitc.gov</a>. For help accessing EDIS, please email <a href="https://edis.usitc.gov">EDIS3Help@usitc.gov</a>. Hearing impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter can be obtained by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on (202) 205-1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at (202) 205-2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its internet server at <a href="https://www.usitc.gov">https://www.usitc.gov</a>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pathenia M. Proctor, The Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, telephone (202) 205-2560.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

AUTHORITY: The authority for institution of this investigation is contained in section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. 1337, and in section 210.10 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 C.F.R. 210.10 (2024).

SCOPE OF INVESTIGATION: Having considered the complaint, the U.S. International Trade Commission, on October 15, 2024, ORDERED THAT –

- (1) Pursuant to subsection (b) of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, an investigation be instituted to determine whether there is a violation of subsection (a)(1)(B) of section 337 in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, or the sale within the United States after importation of certain products identified in paragraph (2) by reason of infringement of one or more of claims 1, 4-9, 11-16, and 18-23 of the '994 patent and claims 1-10 and 12-20 of the '207 patent, and whether an industry in the United States exists or is in the process of being established as required by subsection (a)(2) of section 337;
- (2) Pursuant to section 210.10(b)(1) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 C.F.R. 210.10(b)(1), the plain language description of the accused products or category of accused products, which defines the scope of the investigation, is "lithium-ion batteries with 6V or more electrical potential, and components used for domestic assembly of lithium-ion batteries with 6V or more electrical potential, specifically, battery management systems and lithium-based rechargeable cells";
- (3) For the purpose of the investigation so instituted, the following are hereby named as parties upon which this notice of investigation shall be served:
  - (a) The complainants are:

LithiumHub, LLC 125 Tate Road Norris, SC 29667

Lithiumhub Technologies, LLC 104 E Houston, Ste. 150 Marshall, TX 75670

Mr. Martin Koebler 125 Tate Road Norris, SC 29667

(b) The respondents are the following entities alleged to be in violation of section 337, and are the parties upon which the complaint is to be served:

Bass Pro Outdoor World LLC 2500 East Kearney Street Springfield, MO 65898 Cabela's LLC 2500 East Kearney Street Springfield, MO 65898

Navico Group Americas LLC N85 W12545 Westbrook Crossing Menomonee Falls, WI 53051

Relion Battery (Shenzhen) Technology Co. Room 410, 4th Floor, Cui Hua Da Industrial Park, No. 144 Botanical Garden Road, Nanyu E Community Shenzhen, China

Renogy New Energy Co., LTD 25A, Hengye Platinum, No. 1338 Sanxiang Road, Gusu District Suzhou City, Jiangsu, China

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MillerTech Energy Solutions LLC 14632 Old State Road Middlefield, OH 44062

- (c) The Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Suite 401, Washington, D.C. 20436; and
- (4) For the investigation so instituted, the Chief Administrative Law Judge, U.S. International Trade Commission, shall designate the presiding Administrative Law Judge.

Responses to the complaint and the notice of investigation must be submitted by the named respondents in accordance with section 210.13 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 C.F.R. 210.13. Pursuant to 19 C.F.R. 201.16(e) and 210.13(a), as amended in 85 Fed. Reg. 15798 (March 19, 2020), such responses will be considered by the Commission if received not later than 20 days after the date of service by the complainants of the complaint and the notice of investigation. Extensions of time for submitting responses to the complaint and the notice of investigation will not be granted unless good cause therefor is shown.

Failure of a respondent to file a timely response to each allegation in the complaint and in this notice may be deemed to constitute a waiver of the right to appear and contest the allegations of the complaint and this notice, and to authorize the administrative law judge and the Commission, without further notice to the respondent, to find the facts to be as alleged in the complaint and this notice and to enter an initial determination and a final determination containing such findings, and may result in the issuance of an exclusion order or a cease and desist order or both directed against the respondent.

By order of the Commission.

Lisa R. Barton

Secretary to the Commission

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Issued: October 16, 2024

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## DESIGNATION OF OUII ATTORNEY FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS

The Office of Unfair Import Investigations ("OUII") hereby designates Ryan Schmid, Esq., (202) 205-2734, Ryan.Schmid@usitc.gov, as OUII's lead attorney for service of process. It is requested that all documents served by the Commission or filed by the parties in the above-referenced investigation be served upon this attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

Margaret Macdonald, Director

#### OFFICE OF UNFAIR IMPORT INVESTIGATIONS

U.S. International Trade Commission 500 E Street, S.W., Suite 401 Washington, D.C. 20436 (202) 205-2560 (202) 205-2158 (facsimile)

October 16, 2024

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#### PUBLIC CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Lisa R. Barton, hereby certify that the attached INSTITUTION OF INVESTIGATION has been served via EDIS upon the Commission Investigative Attorney, Ryan Schmid, Esq., and upon the following parties as indicated, on October 16, 2024.

> Lisa R. Barton, Secretary U.S. International Trade Commission

500 E Street, SW, Room 112 Washington, DC 20436

## Complainants.

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LithiumHub, LLC 125 Tate Road Norris, SC 29667	<ul> <li>□ Via Hand Delivery</li> <li>□ Via Express Delivery</li> <li>□ Via First Class Mail</li> <li>⋈ Other: Email Notification of Availability for Download</li> </ul>
Lithiumhub Technologies, LLC 104 E Houston, Ste. 150 Marshall, TX 75670	<ul> <li>□ Via Hand Delivery</li> <li>□ Via Express Delivery</li> <li>□ Via First Class Mail</li> <li>⊠ Other: Email Notification of Availability for Download</li> </ul>
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On Behalf of Complainants:	
Thomas R. Burns, Jr. Bartkowski PLLC 6803 Whittier Ave, Suite 200A McLean, VA 22101 Email: tburns@bartkowskipllc.com	<ul> <li>□ Via Hand Delivery</li> <li>□ Via Express Delivery</li> <li>□ Via First Class Mail</li> <li>⊠ Other: Email Notification of Availability for Download</li> </ul>

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225 S. Lucile St.

Respondents:	
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Cabela's LLC 2500 East Kearney Street Springfield, MO 65989	<ul> <li>□ Via Hand Delivery</li> <li>□ Via Express Delivery</li> <li>□ Via First Class Mail</li> <li>☒ Other: Service to Be</li> <li>Completed by Complainant</li> </ul>
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Government Agencies:	
Lynda Marshall International Section, Antitrust Division U.S. Department of Justice 450 5th Street NW, Room 11000 Washington, DC 20530	<ul> <li>□ Via Hand Delivery</li> <li>□ Via Express Delivery</li> <li>□ Via First Class Mail</li> <li>⋈ Other: Email Notification of Availability for Download</li> </ul>
Dax Terrill, Chief Exclusion Order Enforcement Branch U.S. Customs and Border Protection Regulations and Rulings 90 K Street NE – 10th Floor Washington, DC 20229	<ul> <li>□ Via Hand Delivery</li> <li>□ Via Express Delivery</li> <li>□ Via First Class Mail</li> <li>⋈ Other: Email Notification of Availability for Download</li> </ul>
Andrew Heimert Office of International Affairs Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue Washington, DC 20580	<ul> <li>□ Via Hand Delivery</li> <li>□ Via Express Delivery</li> <li>□ Via First Class Mail</li> <li>⊠ Other: Email Notification of Availability for Download</li> </ul>
Summer E. Young, Ph.D., J.D. HHS Office of the General Counsel, NIH Branch National Institutes of Health 31 Center Drive Bldg. 31, Room 2B-50 Bethesda, MD 20892	<ul> <li>□ Via Hand Delivery</li> <li>□ Via Express Delivery</li> <li>□ Via First Class Mail</li> <li>⊠ Other: Email Notification of Availability for Download</li> </ul>



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Sincerely,

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Bass Pro Outdoor World LLC 2500 East Kearney Street Springfield, MO 65898

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We are hereby serving you with a copy of the Complaint and the Notice of Investigation issued in this matter. Enclosed is a copy of the Code of Federal Regulations. Also enclosed is a the Section 337 Mediation Program brochure. After reviewing this brochure, please sign and return the enclosed certification of receipt.

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#### Dear Sir/Madam:

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Shenzhen LiTime Technology Co., LTD Room 301, Building B, Baolong 5th Road Baolong Community, Baolong Street, Shenzhen, Guangdong, China

Re: Certain Rechargeable Batteries and Components Thereof; Inv. No. 337-TA-1421

#### Dear Sir/Madam:

This letter is to advise you that the United States International Trade Commission has instituted an investigation pursuant to Section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1337). Shenzhen **LiTime Technology Co., LTD** is a named respondent in this investigation.

We are hereby serving you with a copy of the Complaint and the Notice of Investigation issued in this matter. Enclosed is a copy of the Code of Federal Regulations. Also enclosed is a the Section 337 Mediation Program brochure. After reviewing this brochure, please sign and return the enclosed certification of receipt.

Please note that the Notice requires a response to the allegations in the Complaint and the response must be received not later than twenty (20) days after the date of service of the Complaint. Failure to file a response may result in inferences being drawn against your interests.

Sincerely,

Lisa R. Barton Secretary

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- 3. Code of Federal Regulation
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- 5. Certification of Receipt of Mediation Materials



#### WASHINGTON, DC 20436

October 16, 2024

Dragonfly Energy Corp. 1190 Trademark Dr. #108 Reno, NV 89521

Re: Certain Rechargeable Batteries and Components Thereof; Inv. No. 337-TA-1421

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Dragonfly Energy Holdings Corp. 1190 Trademark Dr. #108 Reno, NV 89521

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October 16, 2024

MillerTech Energy Solutions LLC 14632 Old State Road Middlefield, OH 44062

Re: Certain Rechargeable Batteries and Components Thereof; Inv. No. 337-TA-1421

#### Dear Sir/Madam:

This letter is to advise you that the United States International Trade Commission has instituted an investigation pursuant to Section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1337). **MillerTech Energy Solutions LLC** is a named respondent in this investigation.

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Embassy of China 3505 International Place NW Washington, DC 20008

Re: Certain Rechargeable Batteries and Components Thereof; Inv. No. 337-TA-1421

Dear Sir/Madam:

This letter is to advise you that the United States International Trade Commission has instituted an investigation pursuant to Section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1337). One or more of the parties named in the investigation is located in

Pursuant to Commission Rule 210.11(a) (3), we are hereby serving you with a copy of the Complaint filed in this investigation together with a copy of the Commission's Notice of Investigation.

Sincerely,

Lisa R. Barton Secretary

- 1. Complaint
- 2. Notice of Investigation



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October 16, 2024

Lynda Marshall International Section Antitrust Division U.S. Dept of Justice 450 5th Street NW, Room 11000 Washington, DC 20530

Re: Certain Rechargeable Batteries and Components Thereof; Inv. No. 337-TA-1421

## Dear Lynda Marshall:

This letter is to advise you that the United States International Trade Commission has instituted an investigation pursuant to Section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1337). A copy of the Notice of Investigation is enclosed. Non-confidential copies of the Complaint and any supplements filed in the investigation will be provided upon request. Requests should be directed to Docket Services at (202) 205-1802.

If you have any questions concerning this investigation, please contact the Commission Investigative Attorney whose name and telephone number appear in the enclosed Notice.

Sincerely,

Lisa R. Barton Secretary

#### Enclosure:



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October 16, 2024

Dax Terrill, Chief Exclusion Order Enforcement Branch U.S. Customs and Border Protection Regulations and Rulings 90 K Street NE, 10th Floor Washington, DC 20229-1177

Re: Certain Rechargeable Batteries and Components Thereof; Inv. No. 337-TA-1421

Dear Dax Terrill:

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October 16, 2024

Andrew Heimert Office of International Affairs Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, Room 498 Washington, DC 20580

Re: Certain Rechargeable Batteries and Components Thereof; Inv. No. 337-TA-1421

Dear Andrew Heimert:

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October 16, 2024

Summer E. Young, Ph.D., J.D. HHS Office of the General Counsel, NIH Branch National Institutes of Health 31 Center Drive Building 31, Room 2B-50 Bethesda, MD 20892

Re: Certain Rechargeable Batteries and Components Thereof; Inv. No. 337-TA-1421

## Dear Summer Young:

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